

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

Local news on pages 1 and 2.

Experienced riders ride "Cleveland."

Col. V. V. Ashford has not as yet declined his pardon.

The band will play at Emma Square this evening.

N. S. Sachs advertises bargains that the ladies can scarcely resist.

Highest cash price paid for Hawaiian stamps. C. V. STURDEVANT.

The President will likely return home by the Ke Au Hou Wednesday afternoon.

BORN—At Kilauea, Kauai, on the 13th inst., to the wife of Edwin Gardner, a son.

Fashionable millinery comprises to new stock of Miss Anna Cahill, Arlington block.

For first-class work call at Al. Chisholm's harness shop, Hammer's old corner. Work guaranteed.

Two native sailors were arrested this morning for deserting contract service for the Wilder S. S. Co.

Served received by the Rithet seventy New Process stoves, the third consignment in six weeks.

The Woman's Board of Missions will meet in the parlors of Central Union Church at 3:30 this afternoon.

The Stars and Kamahamehas will cross bats at the league base ball grounds next Saturday afternoon.

Cloth for military suits is on hand. The various requisitions sent in will be filled as rapidly as possible.

Seely I. Shaw has opened a billiard parlor over the Merchant's Exchange, corner of Nuuanu and King streets.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange stamps, go to John T. Brown, No. 4, Masonic Temple, Alakea street. Box 441.

A rearrangement of the office of the Registrar of Conveyances gives the public about twice the room formerly available.

Only eight arrests were made by the police on Friday night to Monday morning, which is considered a remarkable record.

Chas. Hawkins succeeds Hawkins & Henery in the new and second hand furniture and book house, corner King and Alakea.

Fine pleasure boats for ladies and gentlemen at the new Hawaiian Boat House, foot of Richard street. Moonlight boating parties, etc.

Pearl City Squad, Citizens' Guard, have a set of rules and regulations under consideration which will probably be adopted this evening.

When you want fine watch repairing done or jewelry made, go to H. O. Biart, Fort street at Gertz. Mr. Biart's long experience is a guarantee of good workmanship.

Mrs. Claessens, the child wife who has gained notoriety in certain circles during the past few days, has been sent to prison for forty-eight hours for deserting her husband.

Telephone 245 will secure you prompt attention. Furniture moved, baggage or freight hauled to and from steamers. Trunks or packages sent to Larsen's express from other islands will be delivered.

Six hot baths for \$1 at J. Ashworth's model barber shop, No. 80 King street.

PERSONAL.

Paul Neumann and family have moved out to Sans Souci.

Chief Clerk Henry Smith of the Judiciary Department is ill.

Judge Henry E. Cooper is suffering with a severe cold. He is confined to his home.

G. W. Hellierson, assistant janitor of the Central Union Church, has resigned that position and will join the fire department.

Chief Clerk Hanning of the Interior office resumed work this morning. He has been laid up with rheumatism for several weeks.

That Tired Feeling

Is a dangerous condition directly due to depleted or impure blood. It should not be allowed to continue, as in its debility the system is especially liable to serious attacks of illness. Hood's Serravallo's is the remedy for such a condition, and also for that weak condition which prevails at the change of season, climate or life.

Hood's Pills are purely vegetable, carefully prepared from the best ingredients.

Will Make 2500 Stitches per Minute.

We believe this to be the best Sewing Machine in these Islands and will send it out on ONE WEEK'S TRIAL.

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(Cor Fort and Beretania Sts.)

OF THE LATE F. DAMIEN, ON AN OYSTER FARM.

THIS IS THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE PRIEST'S DEATH, IN 1889.

Unveiling of a Monument by His Countrymen—An Account Translated For the "Star."

An Experiment that is Emerging Into a Success—Natives on the Market Very Soon, Now.

By special invitation representatives of the Bulletin and Star enjoyed the open-handed hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Colburn at Pearl City peninsula Sunday, and had the pleasure of inspecting the new oyster industry at that place.

The visit resulted in a revelation of more than ordinary interest, it now being apparent that the oyster industry, which has enlisted so much attention of late, can be made a success in this country. Choice oysters are there in abundance, of fine size and best flavor, and one month from today Honolulu will be supplied every morning with bivalves.

Mr. Colburn's farm house is on the west look, in a locality where the "merry summer breezes blow auspiciously." In front of this is a lagoon, several acres in extent and from one to two feet deep at low tide. This is the oyster farm. A dam with gates breaks the force of the water from the lagoon, and a gentle flow from an artesian well tempers it, reducing the ratio of saline matter to less than one half the quantity found in ordinary sea water. The oysters are planted along the shore in a few inches of water. In this locality flourishes a species of limu from which the seeds derive strong nourishment.

There are 20,000 "frying-size" oysters in the farm, their black, knobby houses lying like stones in a mountain stream, one to three inches apart. Several were opened on the spot and the flavor found to be exceedingly fine.

A little more than two years ago Mr. Colburn imported his first lot of 800 oysters as an experiment. They were soon followed by 1500 more. Both shipments were of bivalves one year old. Other shipments have since been made, usually in small quantities. The oysters began breeding and now the young may be seen in numbers clinging to the rocks and other very hard substances. Through many discouragements Mr. Colburn has continued his study of the industry and his experiment.

The oyster does not thrive of his own volition. He is almost an arbitrary creature. He is as helpless as a stone, and depends for a living upon what comes to him. Plant him on his back and, unless something kindly turns him over, his top parts will point downward all the days of his life. He has power only to open and close the mouth of his shell. When feeding a row of fine filament enables him to discard foreign substances. He must therefore be planted in water containing sufficient digestible material. Mr. Colburn's lagoon seems to have stood this test very well.

Another thing with which Mr. Colburn has had to contend is keeping his crop of bivalves out of the mud. When an oyster sinks into the mud, which is the general tendency, he quickly smothered. Every now and then they have to be picked up and placed on new foundations. A rock base would meet the requirements in one way, but would cut off the supply of vegetable matter in the water without which the oyster can not exist. Mr. Colburn is saving all of his old shells and will use them to stiffen the bottom of his farm. That is found to be the best known remedy. These are but a few of the attentions required. Mr. Colburn says there are countless details that go to make an oyster farm a concern that can be cultivated only with time, perseverance and close attention.

On the 15th of May Mr. Colburn has made the start for which he has worked more than two years. A lot of oysters will be taken up in the shell and brought to Honolulu. A market will be started at Mr. Hugh McIntyre's grocery store, corner of King and Fort streets. Every morning a fresh supply will be sent in from the farm. This will be kept up permanently. Seed oysters will be constantly imported in large quantities until such time as the farm may be able to sustain itself against drainage.

A place to spend a few quiet hours in the Hawaiian Baths. Waikiki cars pass the door.

March Hairs.

Here are a few rainfall records selected from the complete report of Prof. C. J. Lyons for March:

Hawii—Pepeekeo 8.86, Honolulu 6.95 and 14.74, Hakala 9.05, Laupahoehoe 11.40 and 21.26, Paauhau 8.38 and 15.07, Honokaa 8.38, Waimea 10.06, Oia 16.36, Maui—Hana 2.45 and 6.59, Waikapu 4.45, Paia 2.93, Oahu—Punahoa 2.05, Park 7.76, Makiki 1.48, Manoa 2.63, Paua 2.21, Electric station 2.48, Kauai—Lihue farm .35, Hanalei 2.43.

BORN.

NAPOLEON—In this city, April 14, 1895, to the wife of J. K. Napoleon, a son.

HAWAIIAN CIGARS.

from the Henry Clay and Block & Co. Factory, HOLLISTER & CO'S, Corner Fort and Merchant Streets.

ALL THE RAILS HERE.

MATERIAL FOR THE WAINEA EXTENSION NOW IN HAND.

An Excursion Over the New Branch in June—Splendid Scenery—Development of Lands.

Nearly 1200 tons of steel rails have lately been received by the Oahu railway for its Waiwae branch line. This is enough to complete the extension. Spikes, bolts, etc., have also arrived and the work of track laying will begin at once.

Mr. Dillingham promises an excursion over the new line some time in June. Scenery along the route is said to be very impressive. Mountains, valleys, gulches, etc., form the picture on the right, while the broad expanse of old ocean stretches away upon the left.

The passenger traffic of the railroad has increased a great deal this year. Receipts from this source for the past three months are found to be fully fifteen per cent above those for the same period last year.

The Waiwae extension means a large, immediate increase of the wealth of Oahu. Numerous large tracts of land now practically idle will be brought under cultivation. The resources of the territory to be opened up may be practically appreciated when it is known that one valley alone is to contain fifty small farms. At present it is occupied by a few woodchoppers and some cattle.

St. Andrew's Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Second Congregation of St. Andrew's Cathedral, will take place this (Easter Monday) evening in the school room at 7:30 o'clock for the election of church wardens for the ensuing year and for the transaction of other important business. A full attendance of the male members is requested.

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WILL BUILD A BRANCH.

AN "ELITE" ESTABLISHMENT TO GO UPON ALAKEA STREET.

Jas. Steiner Now Owns the Adams Home—Three Cottages to Be Built at Once.

One of the most important realty transactions of the year is the acquisition of the "Adams Homestead" by Jas. Steiner. This property has frontage on Hotel and Alakea streets and Adams lane. Mr. Steiner will begin the improvement of it at once. Some of the old buildings to be removed were among the first to be put up by foreigners. Some of the walls are of adobe. There will be three new cottages on Adams lane. One of these will be occupied by Mr. Steiner and the other two leased as residences or rooming houses.

On Alakea street, opposite the Masonic Temple, Mr. Steiner proposes to venture a big branch of his establishment on Hotel street. For the new place he will have a large two-story building. On the first floor will be a cafe, a half-outdoor affair rich in green decorations such as vines, flowers, shrubs and all tropical plants. Here will be the ice cream parlors and coffee rooms. The second floor will be a party hall, suitable for the entertainment of any social party. The arrangement will be excellent for private affairs or public functions. Mr. Steiner hopes to soon have work started on this hall and branch "Elite."

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ALL ALONG THE DOCKS.

WHAT IS GOING ON IN THE WORLD OF THE WATERFRONT.

Braunfels Leaving Empty—Aloha Departs Tomorrow—Waialeale—The Alden Besse.

The Mokoli will sail at 5 p. m. today on her regular route.

The R. P. Rithet and Robert Lewers are discharging at Brewer's wharf.

The s.s. Braunfels will sail during the afternoon for Manila. She takes no passengers or freight.

The dredger moved over to the Oceanic dock this morning to deepen the harbor in that vicinity.

The Hawaiian Isles will sail for Puget Sound Friday or Saturday when she will load lumber for Port Pirie.

The bark Triton is nearly through discharging. She will sail in ballast for Mazatlan, Mexico, in about ten days.

The Claudine from Maui, Mokoli from Molokai, Waialeale from Hawaii and the Iwalani from Kauai arrived early Sunday morning.

The Alden Besse arrived late Saturday from Maui and Hawaii. She experienced extremely rough weather, failing altogether to land freight at some points.

The Mikahala is in need of slight repairs and will not leave port until the last of the week. The Iwalani will take her place, sailing at the regular hour tomorrow afternoon.

The Kaala sailed at 9 a. m. for the West side. The James Makee will leave at 4 o'clock for Kapa, the Ke Au Hou and Waimanalo will both sail at 5, the former for Kauai and the latter for Oahu ports.

The Alden Besse received her new forecast this morning. She is still waiting at the fish market for her turn at loading. The Robert Sudden, S. N. Castle and W. G. Irwin will also wait for sugar.

The Aloha, Captain Dabel, will sail for San Francisco about noon Tuesday. She has one passenger, and room for one more. Accommodations are strictly first class. The Aloha will take about 25,000 bags of sugar.

The Hawaiian bark R. P. Rithet, Morrison master, arrived early Sunday 16 days from San Francisco. She brought four passengers and about 1000 tons of freight. In her cargo were about 500 tons of rails and 200 tons of spikes, bolts, frogs, etc., for the Oahu railway.

The Waialeale will sail at 4 p. m. tomorrow for Waimea, Kauai. It is thought useless to send her back to Hawaii until the weather moderates. After hanging off the big island a number of days she succeeded in shipping 1200 bags of sugar, which was discharged into the Andrew Welch.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

From Maui per steam Claudine, April 14—B. Wells, Miss M. J. Malone, Miss Kelenka, Miss Hattie Maule, Mrs. Tilden, J. W. Davidson, A. F. Tavares, served on E. B. Thomas, who has charge of the property, but that gentleman refused to surrender the keys to the *Holoma* building. Officer McGurn then took the next step, which was to break the door open and seize the property. A policeman has since guarded the premises.

From San Francisco per bark R. P. Rithet, April 14—Emile Klopfer, H. J. Duncan, J. C. Coehrer, Mrs. E. Smith.

From Kauai, per steam Iwalani, April 14—S. N. Kakinia and child, and 10 on deck.

ARRIVALS.

SATURDAY, April 14.

Stor Likelike, Weibeth, from Maui and Hawaii.

Stor R. P. Rithet, Morrison, from San Francisco.

Stor Claudine, Cameron, from Maui and Hawaii.

Stor Waialeale, Gregory, from Hawaii.

Stor Iwalani, Freeman, from Kauai.

Stor James Makee, Haglund, from Kapa.

Stor Mokoli, McGregor, from Molokai and Lanai.

DEPARTURES.

MONDAY, April 15.

Stor Kaala, Brown, for windward Oahu.

Stor Mokoli, McGregor, for Molokai and Lanai.

Stor Ke Au Hou, Thompson, for Maui and Hawaii.

Stor James Makee, Peterson, for Kapa.

Stor Waimanalo, Calway, for the West side.

Stor J. A. Cummins, Neilson, for Circuit of Oahu.

VESSELS LEAVING TOMORROW.

TUESDAY, April 16.

Stor Iwalani, Freeman, for Makaweli, Koloa, Eleele, Makaweli, Waimea and Kihala. 3 p. m.

Stor Claudine, Cameron, for Maui and Hawaii.

Stor Mikahala, Haglund, for Kauai.

Stor Waialeale, Smythe, for Waimea. 4 p. m.

Stor Aloha, for San Francisco. At 10:00.

IMPORTS AND CONSIGNEES.

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Ex Claudine from Maui, April 14—49 bags sugar, 252 bags sugar, 236 bags corn, 50 head cattle, 122 hogs, 75 pigs sundries.

New Advertisements.

Dissolution of Partnership.

Honolulu, H. I., April 10, 1895.

The firm known as Hawkins & Henery have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent. Mr. Hawkins retaining the business and agreeing to pay all bills contracted by the firm and to collect all outstanding bills.

Mr. Henery still continues in the painting and contracting business. CHARLES HAWKINS. OLIVER HENERY.

\$100 REWARD.

For information that will lead to the conviction of the parties who maliciously destroyed and carried off a number of Shrub and Potted Ferns during the night of April 11th from my residence at Adams Lane.

The same reward holds good for information of the vandals that make it a business to deface pictures, mirrors, tables, etc., at the Elite for Cream Parlors. JAMES STEINER.

KILOHANA ART LEAGUE.

A FULL MEETING OF ALL MEMBERS is urgently requested on Monday evening, the 15th inst., at the residence of Mrs. W. C. Parke, Beretania street, at 7:30 o'clock.

ARTHUR REYNOLDS, Secretary.

Notice.

During my absence from the Hawaiian Islands, Mr. W. M. Giffard will attend to and perform the duties of President and Manager of the firm of W. G. Irwin & Company, Limited.

President and Manager Wm. G. Irwin & Company, Limited.

Notice.

During my absence from the Hawaiian Islands, Mr. Walter M. Giffard will act for me in all matters of business, under full power of attorney.

WM. G. IRWIN, Honolulu, H. I., April 4, 1895.